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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2174  
Docket No.: 826.1732

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Ikuo SASAZAKI et al.

Serial No. 09/892,749

Group Art Unit: 2174

Confirmation No. 3645

Filed: June 28, 2001

Examiner: Boris M. Pesin

For: PROCESS APPARATUS FOR PROMOTING CONVERGENCE OF DISCUSSION AT  
ELECTRONIC CONFERENCE AND METHOD THEREOF

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 7, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on June 7, 2006. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to July 7, 2006.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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